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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	62	50	53	65	99
Unemployment rate	%	3.3	2.7	2.8	3.4	5.1
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	417	459	446	456	-
Taxable individuals	no.	1 620	1 651	1 712	1 728	-
Taxable income	$m	59.3	63.8	67.9	69.6	-
Average taxable income	$	36 597	38 664	39 667	40 303	-
Net tax	$m	13.1	14.9	15.5	15.9	-
Average net tax	$	8 056	9 000	9 030	9 174	-
Average net tax ratio	%	22.0	23.3	22.8	22.8	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	1 394	1 419	1 427	1 464	-
Wage and salary income	$m	44.8	48.4	50.8	53.3	-
Total income	$m	47.6	50.8	54.0	55.7	-
Average wage and salary income	$	32 111	34 125	35 568	36 432	-
Average total income	$	34 153	35 774	37 837	38 069	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	130	136	145	132	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	161	148	145	157	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	192	187	192	188	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	173	185	182	199	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	91	98	95	111	-
Males - Total	no.	747	754	759	787	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	112	120	121	117	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	128	137	130	139	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	171	166	170	165	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	167	165	171	179	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	69	77	76	77	-
Females - Total	no.	647	665	668	677	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	242	256	266	249	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	289	285	275	296	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	363	353	362	353	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	340	350	353	378	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	160	175	171	188	-
Persons - Total	no.	1 394	1 419	1 427	1 464	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	128	123	124	-
Professionals	no.	-	177	177	184	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	74	76	77	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	157	157	168	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	21	18	22	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	224	201	213	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	107	100	103	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	96	104	107	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	312	305	314	-
Not Stated	no.	-	156	165	150	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	1 452	1 426	1 462	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	143	137	138	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	5.1	4.8	4.9	-	-
Total income	$m	5.2	5.4	5.4	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	35 898	35 206	35 842	-	-
Average total income	$	36 083	39 322	39 401	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	101	83	84	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	3.1	2.4	2.5	-	-
Total income	$m	2.9	2.6	2.8	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	30 329	28 406	29 979	-	-
Average total income	$	28 991	31 444	33 710	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	244	220	222	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	8.2	7.2	7.5	-	-
Total income	$m	8.1	8.0	8.3	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	33 592	32 641	33 623	-	-
Average total income	$	33 147	36 350	37 248	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	252	246	219	213
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	78	78	90	114
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	60	66	69	63
Total businesses	no.	-	390	390	378	390
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	18	30	48
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	18	30	12
Total business entries	no.	-	-	36	60	60
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	21	48	24
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	9	0	6
Total business exits	no.	-	-	30	48	30
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	129	132	132	126
Mining	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Manufacturing	no.	-	21	21	24	21
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Construction	no.	-	36	42	42	54
Wholesale trade	no.	-	9	9	6	9
Retail trade	no.	-	48	39	36	39
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	27	27	27	27
Transport and storage	no.	-	24	15	21	24
Communication services	no.	-	3	3	3	6
Finance and insurance	no.	-	12	15	12	9
Property and business services	no.	-	63	66	63	54
Education	no.	-	6	3	0	0
Health and community services	no.	-	0	0	0	3
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	0	6	3	9
Personal and other services	no.	-	12	12	9	9
Total businesses	no.	-	390	390	378	390

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	96	96	94	91	98
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	119	110	104	110	103
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	149	150	151	144	149
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	119	118	128	127	127
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	72	80	80	82	84
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	83	81	79	87	90
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	118	116	110	108	108
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	125	123	133	135	139
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	142	143	137	136	129
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	136	136	137	134	139
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	145	152	160	167	159
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	131	120	117	116	129
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	87	100	113	127	137
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	78	85	90	88	92
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	83	77	72	68	63
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	47	51	54	65	67
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	24	31	31	28	32
Males - 85 years and over	no.	27	26	21	22	22
Males - Total	no.	1 781	1 795	1 811	1 835	1 867
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	116	121	126	130	121
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	122	124	117	123	134
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	120	109	119	120	133
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	110	112	111	103	94
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	70	74	67	74	72
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	84	84	91	88	95
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	109	101	97	100	104
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	115	123	130	126	127
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	139	131	128	128	131
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	147	148	152	154	148
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	133	132	128	136	148
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	123	139	152	154	158
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	81	84	91	104	112
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	91	83	83	78	79
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	73	75	74	74	78
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	72	75	70	70	64
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	39	44	48	49	56
Females - 85 years and over	no.	49	49	49	52	52
Females - Total	no.	1 793	1 808	1 833	1 863	1 906
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	212	217	220	221	219
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	241	234	221	233	237
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	269	259	270	264	282
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	229	230	239	230	221
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	142	154	147	156	156
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	167	165	170	175	185
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	227	217	207	208	212
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	240	246	263	261	266
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	281	274	265	264	260
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	283	284	289	288	287
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	278	284	288	303	307
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	254	259	269	270	287
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	168	184	204	231	249
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	169	168	173	166	171
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	156	152	146	142	141
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	119	126	124	135	131
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	63	75	79	77	88
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	76	75	70	74	74
Persons - Total	no.	3 574	3 603	3 644	3 698	3 773
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	7.2
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	0.6
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	4.0
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.1

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Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	6.2
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	8.0
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	5.8
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	20.5
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	12.3
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	49.0
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	19.6
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	12.6
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	14.4
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	8.0
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	10.0
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	6.5
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	6.4
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	20.8
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	360
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	34
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	964
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	1 358
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	362
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	63
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	423
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	76
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	37
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	11
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	972
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	3 008
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	412
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	2 009
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	1 052
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	54.7
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	22.3
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	23.0
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	32.9
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	21.2
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	6.6
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	12.9
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	34.7
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	19.1
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.6
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	54.4
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	34	45	47	35	42
Total fertility rate	rate	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.2
Deaths	no.	34	33	40	22	37

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Standardised death rate	rate	7.3	6.6	7.6	6.6	6.8
REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June						
Number of Offences						
Offences against the person	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Rate per 100,000 population						
Offences against the person	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH - year ended 31 December						
Males	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-
Females	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	25	22	27	27	36
Total dwelling units	no.	25	22	30	27	36
Value of total residential building	$m	4.2	4.8	6.4	6.0	8.5
Value of total non-residential building	$m	0.6	7.1	0.6	0.7	0.3
Value of total building	$m	4.8	12.0	7.0	6.7	8.8
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	72	81	70	53	73
Other vehicles	no.	49	55	61	53	49
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	121	136	131	106	122
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	2 169	2 226	2 252	2 319	2 300
Campervans	no.	14	16	18	23	24
Light commercial vehicles	no.	732	753	761	789	822
Light rigid trucks	no.	21	15	15	19	15
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	139	134	142	139	134
Articulated trucks	no.	57	51	60	61	65
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	4	5	5	5
Buses	no.	23	22	24	29	29
Motorcycles	no.	151	122	123	127	143
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	3 308	3 343	3 400	3 511	3 537
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	607	618	618	627	610
Campervans	no.	4	4	5	6	6
Light commercial vehicles	no.	205	209	209	213	218
Light rigid trucks	no.	6	4	4	5	4
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	39	37	39	38	36
Articulated trucks	no.	16	14	16	16	17
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1	1	1	1
Buses	no.	6	6	7	8	8
Motorcycles	no.	42	34	34	34	38
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	926	928	933	949	937
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	1 023	920	800	704	580
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	1 697	1 818	1 964	2 100	2 212
Diesel	no.	434	466	518	584	628
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	154	139	118	123	117
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	42 010.7
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	7 781.2
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	27.7
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	27.7
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	1 990.2
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	67 301
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	213
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	13 574
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	922
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - year ended 31 December						
Road traffic major injuries	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-
Road traffic injuries	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

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LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	527.1

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